PUBLIC NOTICE

In accordance with Chapter 221 of Title 18 V.S.A., the Green Mountain Care Board (GMCB) has closed the University of Vermont Medical Center's application for planning, design, and permitting activities for the eventual development of an outpatient surgery center. The project will be located at Lot 6, Tilley Drive, South Burlington, and is intended to replace the outpatient operating rooms and procedure rooms at the Fanny Allen Campus and will include forecasted growth in demand. The eventual project is expected to exceed \$30 million, therefore requiring a Conceptual Certificate of Need. This initial planning component is projected to cost \$4,960,000.

An individual or entity may submit a written petition to intervene in a Certificate of Need (CON) proceeding up to five (5) business days following the Board's closure of a CON application. Any such petitions in this proceeding must be submitted in writing to the GMCB at the address listed below, on or before September 13, 2021.

If no petitions are filed within this time period (by September 13, 2021), the Board will not hold a hearing in this matter and comments from the public and from the HCA will be accepted through September 13, 2021, ten calendar days after the date of this application close letter. Following the conclusion of this comment period, the Board will deliberate and issue a written decision on the application.

Petitions to intervene should be submitted to The Green Mountain Care Board, Attn: Donna Jerry, 144 State Street, Montpelier, Vermont, 05602. For more information, contact Donna Jerry at the above address or by calling 802-760-8162.